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1. An onboard vehicle entertainment system configured for use within a passenger compartment of a vehicle, the entertainment system comprising:

an audio/video signal generator including an onboard transmitter configured for placement within the passenger compartment of the vehicle to produce a vehicle-specific audio/video signal with an audio signal and a video signal component, the transmitter being adapted for wireless transmission of such audio and video signal components;

an audio receiver configured for placement within the passenger compartment of the vehicle, the audio receiver being adapted for wireless receipt and presentation of the audio signal component transmitted by the onboard transmitter; and

a video receiver configured for placement within the passenger compartment of the vehicle, the video receiver being adapted for wireless receipt and display of the video signal component transmitted by the onboard transmitter.

2. The entertainment system of claim 1, wherein the passenger compartment of the vehicle shields the audio receiver and the video receiver from interference due to audio/video signals exterior to the vehicle.

3. The entertainment system of claim 1, wherein the audio/video signal is coded, the audio receiver being configured to receive, decode and present only desired audio signal components, and the video receiver being configured to received decode and display only desired video signal components.

4. The entertainment system of claim 1, wherein the audio/video signal is an RF signal.

5. The entertainment system of claim 1, wherein the audio/video signal is an IR signal.

6. The entertainment system of claim 1, where in the audio receiver is a AM/FM radio.

7. The entertainment system of claim 1, wherein the audio receiver is a headset.

8. The entertainment system of claim 1, wherein the video receiver is an LCD display.

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